

Amendments to the Abstract:

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Abstract of the Disclosure

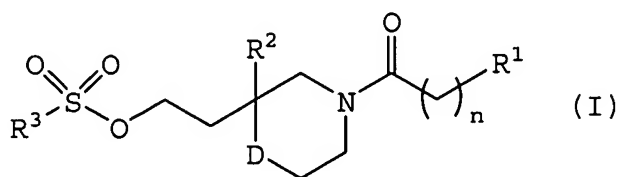
~~{Abstract}~~

~~{Subject}~~

~~To provide compounds useful as synthetic intermediates of neurokinin receptor antagonists~~[[.]]

~~{Means to solve the subject}~~

A compound having the ~~general~~ formula (I) ~~shown below~~[[,.]]



[[.]] wherein R<sup>1</sup> [[:.]] is a substituted phenyl, R<sup>2</sup> [[:.]] is a phenyl substituted with halogen atoms, R<sup>3</sup> [[:.]] is a substituted phenyl, D[[:.]] is an oxygen or a methylene, and n[[:.]] is 0 or 1[[.]]. The compound is a synthetic intermediate for a neurokinin receptor antagonist.

~~{Selected figure} None~~